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With deepest respect and admiration, we, the Senior Class of Fairfield University, dedicate the 1954 Manor to the Most Reverend Lawrence Joseph Shehan, first Bishop of the newly-formed diocese of Bridgeport.

By his zeal and devotion to his duties before God, Bishop Shehan has proven himself to be an inspiration to his fellow man, and given us an example by which we should fashion our lives.

Bishop Shehan in a comparatively short time has manifested a deep interest in the spiritual and physical growth of our beloved University, and it is in appreciation of this concern that we dedicate to him this volume of Fairfield memories.

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Fairfield University was honored in September, 1953, to welcome as their new Dean of Studies, Rev. William J. Healy, S.J. The Class of 1954 wishes to add to this welcome an expression of our heart-felt gratitude for his interested assistance and his inspiring guidance, as well as to voice our sincere wish that during his years at Fairfield, and the rest of his priestly life he will reap the deserving fruit of one who has so unselfishly sown the seeds of our individual harvests.

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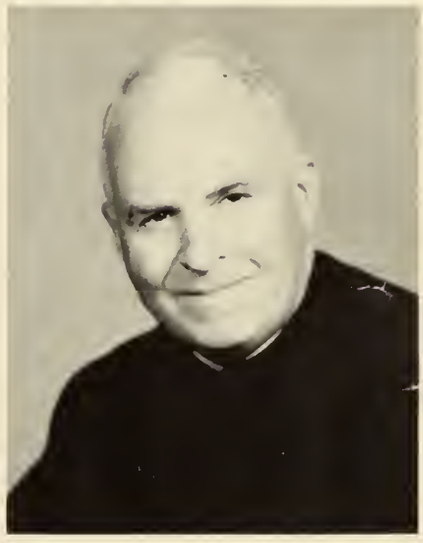

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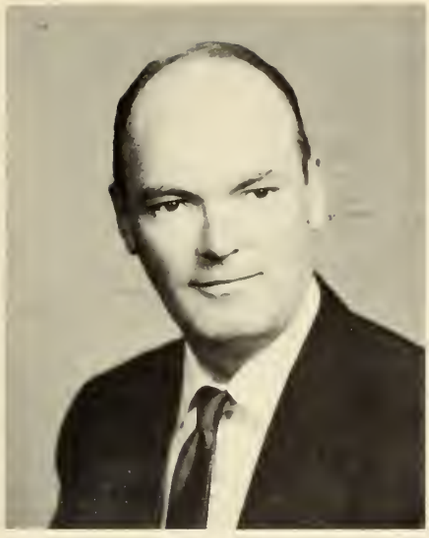

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The Credo of Fairfield University

The struggle to capture the mind of youth is today world-wide; 'isms' of every sort seek to ensnare youth by specious argumentation and false promises of social justice. America is no exception; our youth are continuously exposed to pernicious poisons which have the potency to destroy our hard-won liberties. It is the universities which should supply the antidote of truth, and many of them are unwilling or unable to fulfill their responsibility.

Fairfield University refuses to subscribe to the doctrine that 'academic freedom' may be used as a pretext to teach systems which destroy all freedom. It proudly boasts that as a Catholic institution it has taught and will always teach the principles on which rest all law, order, and right government. This is its creed:

We believe in God.

We believe in the personal dignity of man.

We believe that man has natural rights which come from God not from the state.

We are therefore opposed to all forms of dictatorship which are based on the philosophy that the "total man" belongs to the state.

We believe in the sanctity of the home—the basic unit of civilization.

We believe in the natural right of private property, but likewise that private property has its social obligations.

We believe that Labor has not only rights but obligations.

We believe that Capital has not only rights but obligations.

We are vigorously opposed to all forms of "racism"—persecution or intolerance because of race.

We believe that liberty is a sacred thing, but that law, which regulates liberty, is a sacred obligation.

We believe in inculcating all the essential liberties of American Democracy, and take open and frank issue with all spurious brands of "democracy."

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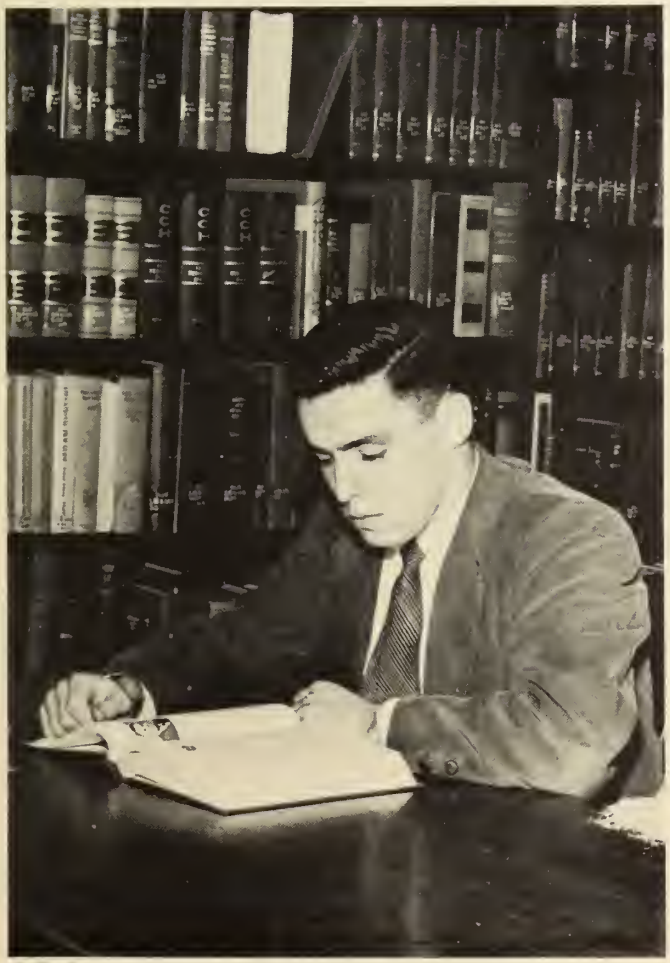

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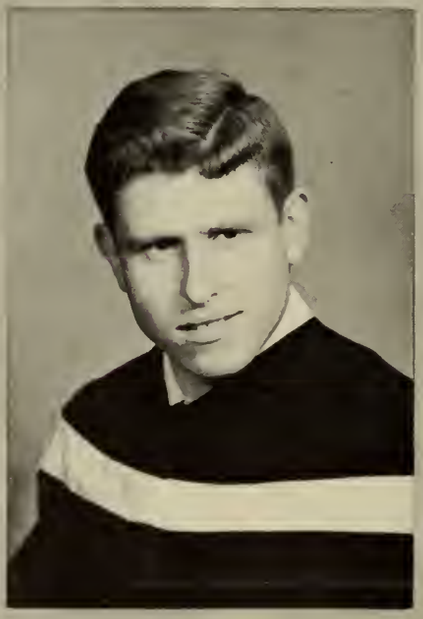

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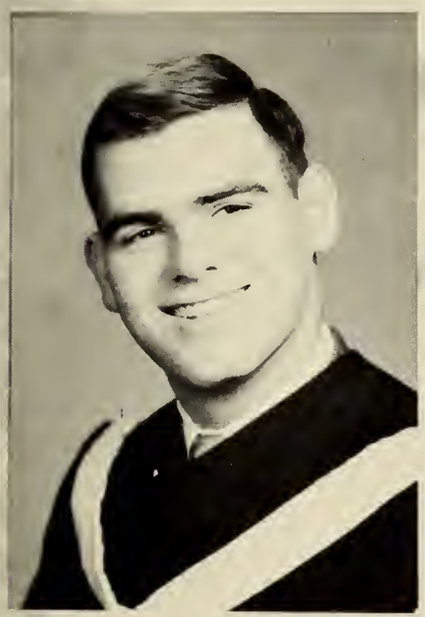

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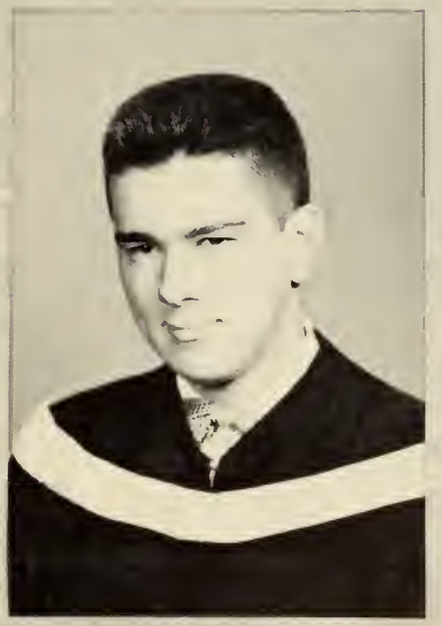

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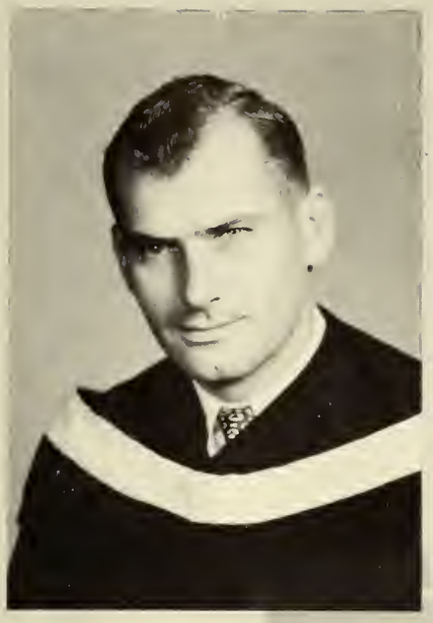

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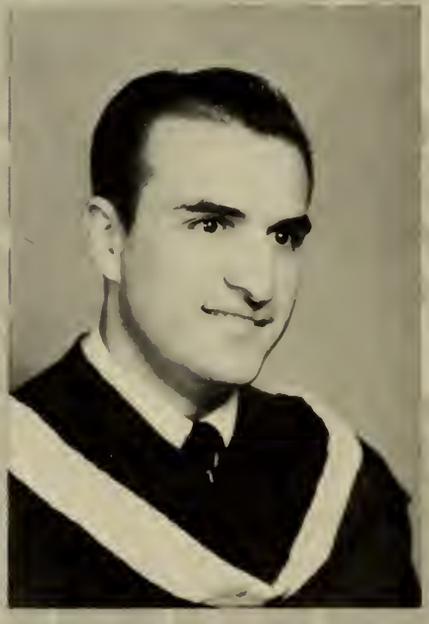

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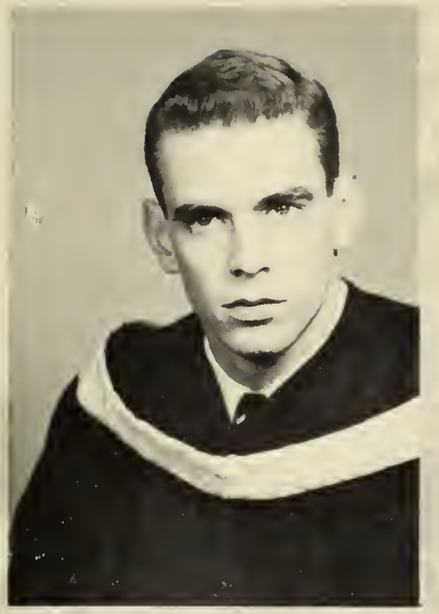

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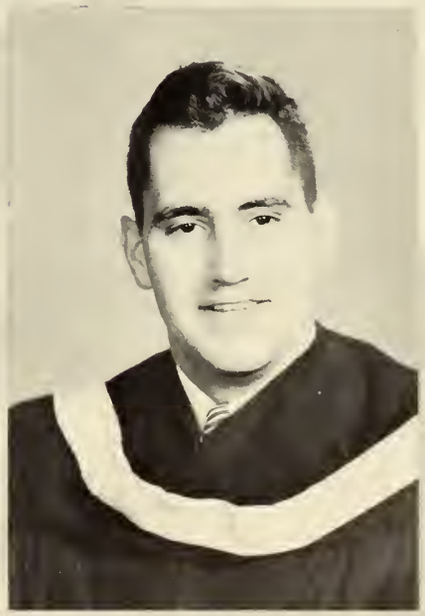

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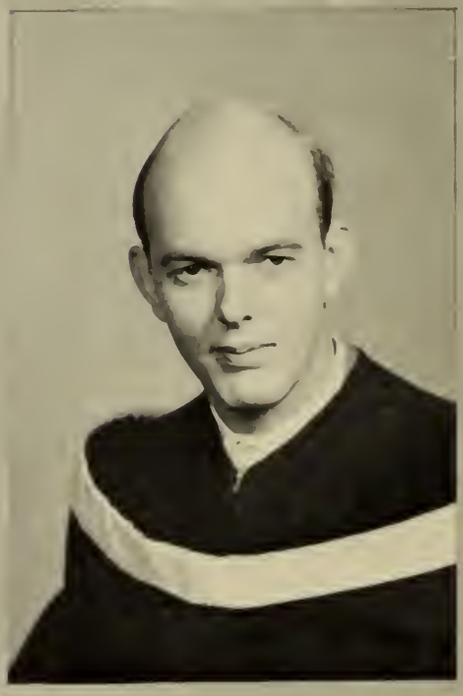

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Honor Society

James J. Bacik

Joseph Bochniak

Roland J. Cavanaugh

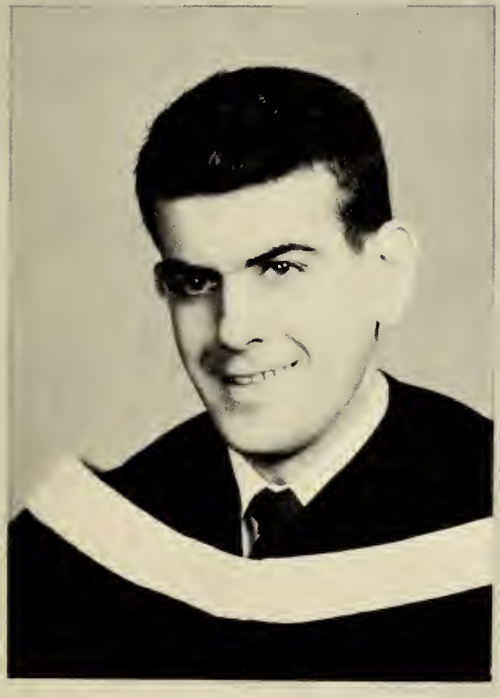
William J. Clancy, Jr.

The Honor Society is just what the name implies. The purpose of the Fairfield University Honor Society is three-fold: to give an added inducement for scholastic achievement and to encourage greater participation in extra-curricular activities, and to give public recognition to those students who have distinguished themselves over a period of three years, both by outstanding scholastic achievement and by generous participation in extra-curricular activities. Students who attain this excellence are rewarded by the privilege of wearing the special Honor Society gold key.

Honor Society

Joseph P. Macary

Robert J. Mazairz

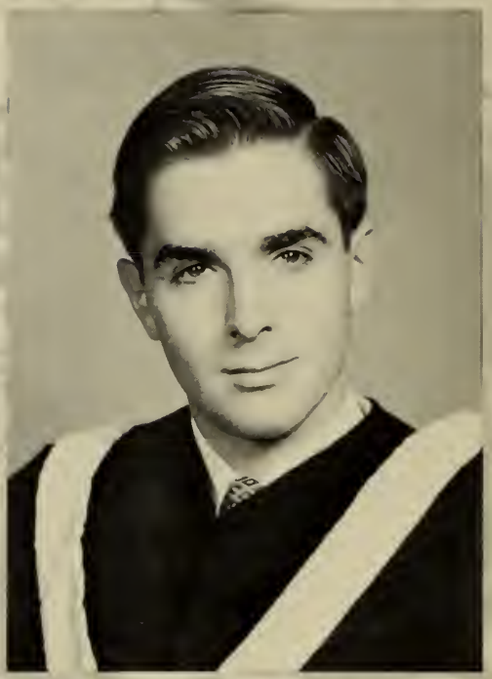


Patsy S. Pagliarulo

Robert R. Petrucelli

Requirements for membership are clearly specified, both as to academic achievement and to participation in activities. Students who consider that they have fulfilled them are permitted to make application for membership at the beginning or in the middle of their Senior year. Those Seniors who qualify and who submit their applications must be recommended by the Dean and then appointed to the Honor Society by the President of the University.

Paul W. Poeltl



Gerald P. Smith

James F. Stapleton

Front row, l. to r.: Gonner, Coiley, Smith, DeMarco, Papandrea, Petrucelli. Rear row: Tremont, Nori, Devine, Ryan, Byrne, Pagliaro, Malefronte, Incerto, Westerberg.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Formidably armed with a new constitution, the Student Council, under the watchful eye of its faculty moderator, Fr. MacDonnell, S.J., tangled with the various issues which came up in the course of student government. The first semester went along rather smoothly, as the adept president of the Student Council, Gerry Smith, was always in control. Sure, the Freshman elections were a problem, and so was the "Winter Carnival." But these were only warmups compared to the "Byrne-Devine" Amendment, which blazed up in the beginning of the second semester, and which was finally passed through a student referendum. Thus was made the first change in our constitution—a change brought about by an orderly process of motion, discussion, and referendum.

The task of acting as a liaison between students and administration, was a thankless one, but it was a task which was fulfilled very well this year by the Student Council, and they certainly deserve our thanks for their "Tuesday Night" sessions.

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1st row, l. to r.: Kennedy, Tierney, Lombardi, Crowley, Burnes, Shanley, Iwanicki, Mr. Weber, Mr. Harak, Kennally, Fox Munro, Donnelly, Russo, Cornell, Einhorn. 2nd row: Check, Garvin, Wargo, Nadeau, Klish, Sheehan, Donovan, Conway, Bane, Hanusouvsky, Bowman, O'Keefe, Jarawouski, Gawitt, Begg, Gibson, Davis, Boyle, Sullivan, Heetman. 3rd row: Dori, Riordan, Perella, Lacaovera, Cox, Umstatter, Flyann, Macary, Caseria, Battagliola, Fama. Maloney, Messina, Langanke, Burkharth, Sheehan, Vosokay, Messina, Germain. 4th row: Hogan, Halligan, Connor, Carrol, Westerberg, DeRosa, Puccino, Daly, Barnhart, Cattenlella, Ryan, Penyak, Madigosky, McCabe, Smith, Carey, Weidig, Petrucelli, D'aquila, Skurat, Nori.

GLEE CLUB

Seventy-four members comprised the Glee Club this year and carried the strains of "The Men in Red" and the new "Alma Mater" to a total of fourteen concerts. They sang at Bridgeport, New Haven, Waterbury, Hartford, Meriden, St. Joseph's College, New Rochelle, Torrington, Naugatuck and Boston. However, by far the greatest honor of this year's Glee Club was the invitation to participate in the opening concert of the summer series at Carnegie Hall in conjunction with the New York Symphony under the direction of Mr. Alfonso D'Artega. The Glee Club program varied from the highly spirited "Brothers, Song On!" to the soft and seet "Sylvia," "Make Believe" and "You Are Love." The program was well balanced with the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "Malaguena," "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp!" and the rhythmic negro spirituals "Dry Bones" and "Set Down, Servant." Joint concerts were performed this year with the Glee Clubs of St. Vincent's Hospital School of Nursing, College of New Rochelle, St. Joseph College, and the College of the Sacred Heart, Newton, Massachusetts.

In addition to the Carnegie Hall appearance, the Glee Club was also privileged to sing at the installation of the first Bishop of the new diocese of Bridgeport, the Most Reverend Lawrence J. Shehan.

Left to right: Louis D'Aquila, William Halligan, Raymond Carey, Ronald Gibson, Joseph Macary, Robert Caseria, Roland Nadeau, Thomas Donnelly, Duane Penyak, Edward Iwanicki.

CAMPUS MINSTRELS

Left to right: William Kennally, President; Robert Westerberg, Vice-President; Mr. Simon Harak, Director; Edward Iwanicki, Treasurer; Mr. Henry Weber, Accompanist.

This distinctive musical group has proven to be one of the most important assets to the Fairfield Glee Club, offering such renditions as "Johnny Schmocker," "Old King Cole," and the "Toreador Song." Its precision and harmony have been lauded throughout Connecticut, and the excellence of the group is evidenced by the fact that the Campus Minstrels copped top honors at the 1953 Catholic College Competition, held at Newton College of the Sacred Heart, Newton, Massachusetts.

It is this special group of Fairfield "warblers" which provides a light touch to the club's repertoire of musical arrangements.

The humor of their harmony, specifically manifested in the gestured rendition of "Johnny Schmocker," has been the occasion of much rejoicing among responsive audiences. "Gaudeamus igitur."

ALMA MATER
FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY

WORDS: JOHN L. BONN, S.J.
MUSIC: ALFONSO D'ARTEGA
ARR.: SIMON HARAK

FAIR - FIELD! SEE THE STAG WITH CROSS OF GOLD REARS ONCE MORE ITS UN DE -
MEM'-RIES FOLD A- WAY THE THOUGHT OF THEE: AU - TUMN ROSES CRIM-SON
FEAT - ED HEAD. FAIR OUR FIELD, AS AN- Y FIELD OF
ON THE BOUGH, BRIGHT SNOW BREAK-ING TO THE DOG - WOOD
1. OLD, BIDS OUR BAN-NERS, LIKE OUR BLOOD, BE RED. "THRU" FAITH,
2. TREE KEEPS SPRING SING ING THEN AS NOW
CHORUS:
UN - TO TO - TAL TRUTH," OUR CRY SWELLS FROM THE SEA TO SPIRE AND
SKY: HEAR, AL - MA MA - TER HEAR! FAIR - FIELD, HAIL!

Paul Heetmen, Mr. Henre Weber, Mr. Simon Harak, Ronald Skurat, Arthur Einhorn, Richard Burkharth.

Ray Carey, Ronald Gibson, Ed Iwanicki, and Tom Donnelly.

BENSONIANS

In the Bensonians, the Glee Club has a group of men who have attained a remarkable degree of popularity in the few years which have lapsed since the quartette was formed by four men living on North Benson Road—thus the Bensonians. This year the newcomers to the group were Ronny Gibson, a Junior, and Jack Farrell, a sophomore, who combined their talents with Tom Donnelly, bass; Ed Iwanicki, lead; and Ray Carey, tenor. The numbers featured in this year's program were "Down the Lane," "When You Were Sweet Sixteen," "After Dark," and, well—you name it, and they could sing it. Like the Minstrels, they also won first honors in the quartette competition at Newton, Massachusetts.

Rev. John S. Murray, S. J.

Mr. Simon Harak

The success and accomplishments which the Glee Club has enjoyed in its relatively short history, are due in large part to the active and unselfish support of two men, Father John Murray, S.J. and Mr. Simon Harak.

The onerous task of attending to the needs of the choral group and arranging a concert schedule for the season is the chief concern of the moderator, Father John Murray, S.J. It is, undoubtedly, through his unselfish efforts and intense faith in the capabilities of the "Men in Red" that the club has enjoyed continued success. The predominating spirit of loyalty to the organization and perseverance, moreover, is in great part due to the active interest of Father Murray. As sole moderator of the Glee Club from the early days of its inception to the present, he has won the respect and esteem of the Glee Club members, while endeavoring to make the choral group ascend new heights of prestige and honor. Therefore it is more than fitting that we pay a well-deserved tribute to the faculty moderator.

As with any non-professional singing group, the individual student in the group does not possess, for the most part, a cultured voice. Thus the group effect of the entire Glee Club must be trained. This is the chief concern of the director. The Fairfield University Glee Club is doubly blessed in that it is conducted by Mr. Simon Harak, who ardently inspires a magical and thoroughly original touch of choral color. Mood is the predominant factor in interpretation, and it is through his deft direction and tonal shading that the excellence of their singing has won high acclaim. Unlike many non-professional groups, the Fairfield Glee Club has attained a precision in movement and tone that have won it many laurels throughout Connecticut and neighboring states. This quality was definitely evident in the various successes of the choral group during the past year, particularly in the Carnegie Hall Concert in May.

Undoubtedly, it is Mr. Harak's love and understanding of music and musical interpretation that have provided the club with a sensitiveness and pliancy of outstanding calibre. Thus the "Men in Red" have not only won acclaim for themselves and those associated with them, but also for the University. It is in this spirit of gratitude that the Manor acknowledges the efforts and achievements of both the conductor, Mr. Harak, and the moderator, Father John Murray, S.J.

SODALITY

The success of the Sodality of Our Lady of Fairfield for the 1953-54 academic year can be attributed to one thing—"Organization"—organization from its head to its members.

Starting with its head we find Fr. Edmund Hogan, S.J., as general-in-chief. Throughout the year he was ably assisted by two sub-moderators—Fr. James Walsh, S.J. and Fr. Joseph W. Murphy, S.J.

Turning to the members, we find a well-knit and cooperative staff of officers and leaders; Anthony Pagliaro, Prefect, Louis D'Aquilla, Vice-Prefect and chairman of the C.C.D., Dominic Sorge, Secretary, John Onofrio, Treasurer, Edward Thorne, Attendance Moderator, Peter DeMarco, Publicity Director. Credit must also be given to the chairmen of the various Sodality Committees that enabled this organization to perform the Christian duties for which it was established more efficiently.

Rev. Edmund J. Hogan, S.J.

Front row, l. to r.: Toomey, O'Keefe, Deleppo, Lacovera, DeMarco, Madigosky. 2nd row: Csiczek, Zimmitti, Onofrio, Pagliaro, Bayne, Roberts, Sorge. 3rd row.: Malafronte, Jackson, Davis, Stapleton, Harrigan, Bochniak, Rowe, Pagliarulo, Zeebe, Gawitt, Cullan, Petrucelli, Driscoll, Kuloweic. 4th row: Murran, Cavanaugh, Fama, Gibson, Travers, Madar, Mendel, Nori, Roach.

Good organization was expressed this year in the forming of the Flos Campi, the Sodality newspaper. Sodality members participated in the writing of articles and printing.

Through Organization such as this, the following projects and movements followed effortlessly and logically: Daily Mass was begun in Berchmans chapel; Daily Rosary was said either at Xavier Hall or the shrine of Mary; twenty-five young men were actively engaged in teaching in CYO groups throughout the state, and fifteen more Sodalists were being instructed to do likewise; and there were many other activities which illustrated what young Catholic College men could do and would do to make themselves and others better Christians.

Organization consisted in the very schedule of the meetings—held fourth period every Thursday in room 19 or in the Chapel. The 1st and 3rd meetings of the month were devotional. The 2nd meeting of the month was for a sectional meeting of the Committees, and the fourth was for a general business meeting.

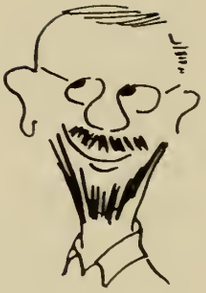
Organization consisted in a grass-roots indoctrination program called the Sodalist-Protege system. The sodalist met with his protege at intervals, and explained Sodality rules, functions, and laws, encouraged him in his spiritual duties and aided him in becoming active in Sodalty committees.

1st row, l. to r.: Landry, Fr. Donoghue, Hughes, Fr. Cowley, Clancy, Shiembob, Ossing. 2nd row: Cavanaugh, Harrigan, Stapleton, Madlung, Bacik, McDermott, Macary, Bochniak, Poeltl. 3rd row: Petrucelli, Mazairz, Lynch, Bartus, Pagliarulo.

Aquinas Academy

A birth is an event of great rejoicing, and in the fall of our Senior year the philosophical stork presented the student body with a new organization, the Aquinas Academy, a Senior philosophy club, whose end and purpose is to examine and discuss the impact of Scholastic Philosophy on the modern man and to acquaint its members with the philosophical ramblings of the adversaries. Indeed, such an on campus activity proved to be not only ontologically good but intellectually stimulating, and it was in a relatively short time that the Academy recovered from its "growing pains," and developed into one of the most active extra-curricular organizations.

It was in honor of the greatest Christian thinker of all time, namely, St. Thomas Aquinas, that the founders of the academy and the members christened the infant organization the AQUINAS ACADEMY, and in all its discussions the Thomistic school of thought is dominant. The actual establishment of this philosophical club, however, was due, in large part, to the active interest of its present moderators, Father John D. Donoghue, S.J., and Father John D. Crowley, S.J., and the support of the Administration and the Philosophy Department. In all discussions, a seminar atmosphere is predominant: a student member of the club presents a paper on the philosophical tenets of such modern philosophers as Dewey, Whitehead, Freud, Santayana, and others, after which other members question the lecturer on certain difficulties and intricacies of the philosopher's thought. At each weekly meeting the above procedure is followed, and thus the members of the organization can become well acquainted with the divergent schools of philosophy and refute their unwarranted assertions. Through such participation of all members, the Aquinas Academy tends to be active, both intellectually and socially.



1st row, l. to r.: Petrucelli, McKeon, Fr. Donoghue, Sullivan, Jaser. 2nd row: R. Zeisner, Stapleton, McDermott, DeRosa.

DEBATING SOCIETY

The St. Robert Bellarmine Debating Society was organized two years ago under the guidance of Father John Donoghue, S.J., and since then has acquired many laurels both for the club and for the University. The club besides its regular debating schedule with such schools as Providence College, Albertus Magnus College, Hofstra College, Iona College, Trinity College, Bridgeport U, Brooklyn College, Holy Cross College, College of New Rochelle, also engages in intercollegiate tournaments throughout the East.

The officers of the club for this year are; John D. Sullivan, President, Jasper Jaser, Vice-President, Robert J. McKeon, Secretary and Treasurer.

1st row, l. to r.: Pagliarulo, Petrucelli, Clancy, Beatty, Macary, Panero, Welch. 2nd row: Sanislo, Nori, Cavanaugh, Davis, Kennally, Stapleton, Mountan, Gawitt, Lannon, Bochniak, Smith, Lombardi. 3rd row: Begg, Harrigan, Gombar, Dori, Russo, McDermott, Smith, Sansone, Roach, Pagliaro.

The Manor

Rev. John O'Callaghan, S.J.

Those pictured above are the culprits responsible for this 1954 version of the Manor, and we write about ourselves not with humble modesty but with deserved pride. Many a night in February the lights burned bright in the Manor office of Xavier Hall until the wee hours of the morning to meet challenging deadlines of the Printer's schedule and to bring you what we hope will be a cherished summary of your years at Fairfield. Many a time we suffered from financial hypertension (high blood pressure to you) but Pat Pagliarulo, our financial wizard, assured us he'd keep the sheriff away from our doors as long as John Q. Public still has a dime left in his pocket. While Pat was busy filling our coffers, Ron Beatty, Joe Macary, Bob Petrucelli, Guy Panero, Bill Clancy and Bob Madden were busy spending it on incidentals such as paying the Publisher, photography supplies, and an elaborate yearbook cover. Was it worth it? You bet your life! And we'd do it all over again. Or would we?

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The Stag

In the history of communications, the power of the written word has proven to be an instrumental force in molding and expressing opinion. It has been the policy of The Stag to use this power discretely, publishing "all the news that's fit to print." Dominating all its journalistic endeavors has been a spirit of objectivity, and for the most part, controversial issues have been treated in an unbiased and enlightening fashion, and the major events of the academic year have been given full coverage and adequate advertisement. In its policy and administration, The Stag has definitely proven itself to be the students' newspaper, expressing editorial comments and informing the student body of the outstanding social and academic activities of the past, the present, and the future

The main asset of this major activity has been the helpful assistance and invaluable counsel of the "tabloid's" moderator, Father John F. Caulfield, S.J., who for two years has provided the staff with an esprit de corps and has instructed them in the intricacies of journalese. In the past as in the present, The Stag has consistently presented the news and views, tempered with a spirit of humor ranging from "McGonigle" cartoons to "Letters From Abercrombie." The power of the press is, indeed, a flaming sword, enlightening those upon whom its light falls.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

The Public Affairs Forum as its name implies is a forum conducted weekly on the Fairfield campus. It is a forum conducted by the students and for the students, although members of the faculty can very often be discerned in the audience.

The presiding officer is John Byrne, with Ronald Norko, Vice-President, Jasper Jaser, Secretary, John Papandrea, Treasurer, and John McDermott, Publicity Director.

The Forum has often been the scene of many a torrid debate; as subjects like McCarthyism, the rights of citizens under the Constitution, the trade policies of the United States, were brought up on the floor, defended, and then challenged.

The Public Affairs Forum provides one of the best aids to speech development on the Fairfield campus, producing many able orators, while acting as a workshop where student opinion on vital issues may be molded. Directed by Father William H. Hohmann, S.J., the club has striven earnestly toward its end. Perhaps the outstanding activity of the club is its annual banquet held in memory of Father Gabriel Ryan, S.J., the founder of the organization, one of the first at Fairfield.

1st row, l. to r.: Jaser, Petrucelli, Byrne, Tremont, Mountan, Coiley. 2nd row: McKeon, Smith, O'Meara. Smith. Zackrison, Stapleton, McDermott, Ambrose, Murray. 3rd row: Nadeau, Bayne, Paffido, Norko, Wolfe, Murphy.

1st row, l. to r.: Margan, Macary, Limoncelli, Nori, Guevin, Cavanaugh. 2nd row: Kazak, Klish, Katson, Hunts, Wirkus, DeCarlo, O'Connell, Monroe, Roach. 3rd row: Maxwell, Riordan, Bartek, Saracino, Welch, Kennally.

CHEMISTRY CLUB

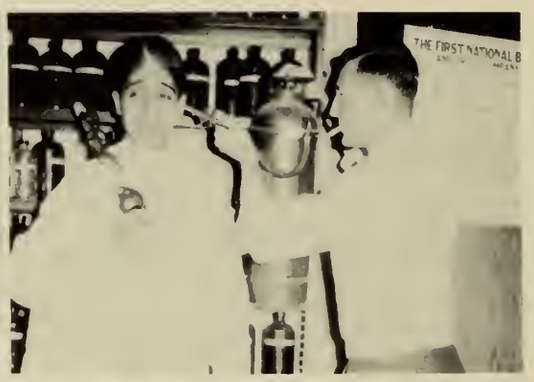
In order to broaden their knowledge and enhance their scientific zeal, the inhabitants of Xavier Hall's "Attic" gather together at regular intervals under the banner of the Chemistry Club. This active organization undertakes various projects throughout the year with the objective of furthering their interest in scientific progress. Bi-monthly meetings are conducted which feature a discussion of some topic of common interest by a club member. Field trips to chemical plants in the area and evening social meetings round out the club's program.

The highlight of this year's club activities was its admittance into the American Chemical Society in February. The progress the club has already made, culminated by the granting of its charter by the American Chemical Society, can largely be attributed to the unselfish and tireless effort of its moderator, Rev. Gerald Hutchinson, S.J.

Reproduced above is the Charter awarded last week by the American Chemical Society to Fairfield University's Chemistry Club.

1st row, l. to r.: Morgan, Petrucelli, Macary, Roach, Sorge, Limoncilli, Cavanaugh. 2nd row: Pavel, Fox, O'Brien, Douglas, Klish, Katson, Hunts, Wirkus, DeCarlo, O'Connell, Cronin, Murray, Guevin, Murran, Tremont, Bartus. 3rd row: Salerno, Majlak, Gombar, Maxwell, Riordan, Bartek, Saracino, Welch, Kennally, Norko, Karazulas, Nori.

MENDEL CLUB



The Mendel Club affords to the science majors an opportunity to supplement their classwork with biological knowledge which is pertinent and yet somewhat different from what they are accustomed. The success the Club has enjoyed in the past and its continued success can be attributed to the excellent guidance of its moderator, Fr. Wilkie, S.J., and to the assistant moderator, Mr. Ross. Its enrollment of sixty-five members attests to its popularity among the science majors, those brave souls who successfully defended their treasured fourth floor from the onslaughts of the "Philosophy" Majors.

1st row, l. to r.: Foley, Cochrane, Liebrandte, Mr. Stuart, Zeisner, Clancy, Lynch.
2nd row: Cullen, Beatty, Lombardi, Sansone, Pagliaro, Madlung, Prendergast, Kennedy, Sweeney, McKnack, Csicsek.

EDUCATION CLUB

This year the Education Club of Fairfield was one of the most active clubs on campus. With George Zeisner their president, and Mr. Chester Stuart their Faculty Advisor, the Education majors held dinner meetings, an annual banquet, listened to guest speakers from all over the state, and traveled to New Britain, Hartford, Danbury, and Trinity College.

The Education Club was also very active in the Student Educational Association of Connecticut, and they played host this year to the state delegates of that association.

Lest we think that these of the Education Club confined their activities to an undergraduate level, we should note that one of their members, President Zeisner, was elected to serve as a full member on the Connecticut Education Association's Legislation Commission, the first time in the History of the Organization a student ever served. The purpose of this organization is to initiate, promote, and lobby in Hartford for favorable teaching legislation.

Front row, l. to r.: O'Keefe, Bayne, Shiembob, Sinanian, Mazairz, Ossing, Frauenhofer, Madigosky. 2nd row: Colley, Berthelson, Goduto, Pader, Haux, Bacik, O'Keefe, Sternchak, Davis, Poetl, Miklus, Mobilio. 3rd row: Smith Zuffa, Skopp, Hennesey, Apuzzo, Langanke.

MATH—PHYSICS CLUB

During the school year of 1952-53, the students of Fairfield University participating in the Math and Physics curriculum assembled together with the expressed purpose of uniting both socially and scholastically. The result of this gathering is now known as the Math-Physics Club of Fairfield University. A banquet and picnic were held that first year and the members of the club voted unanimously that they be annual events. With the help of the club moderator Fr. McEwen, S.J., academic activities this year have greatly improved. Members are assigned topics on various important aspects of the industrial science field and deliver short lectures during the weekly club meetings. Also many important figures of the industrial world have been invited to speak before the club. The American Telephone and Telegraph Company loaned movies on the electro, diode, triode, and transistor to the club in order that the members have the benefit of visual aids.

1st row: Carlin, Pyne, Byrne, Bochniak, Pagliarulo, Rackiewicz, Altieri, Schaefer, Driscoll. 2nd row: Kupec, Lindsay, Garadella, Colleran, Ricci, Burke, Rowe, Waterworth, Swanson, Wolf, Malefonte, Caruso. 3rd row: D'Artega, O'Byrne, Battagliola, Gobson, Casey, Bernard, Turri, Wyatt, Jones, Tomilson. 4th row: Kresinsky, Braun, Forbes, Devitt, Christopher, Purcell, Katz, Cullen, Travers.

BUSINESS CLUB

"Are you worried about going out into the Business World unprepared?" "Do you know who's who in finance or economics?" These and other questions were answered at the various meetings of the Business Club. With some forty members comprising this organization, the club served to increase the knowledge of its members by inviting lecturers who were able to inform them on the various practical problems which beset the American businessmen, and the methods which might be used to solve these problems.

1st row, l. to r.: Ronan, Romano, Brennan, Mountan. 2nd row: Vitale, Leibrandt, Joy.

SOCIOLOGY CLUB

RADIO CLUB

1st, row, l. to r.: Messina, Conway, Landry, Zackrison, Butler, Madigosky. 2nd row: Csiscek, Russo, Schaefer, Bayne, Gilland, Waters.

N. F. C. C. S.

1st row, l. to r.: Tremont, D. Smith, McDermott, Coiley. 2nd row: Papandrea, Clancy, Pagliaro.

C. I. S. L.

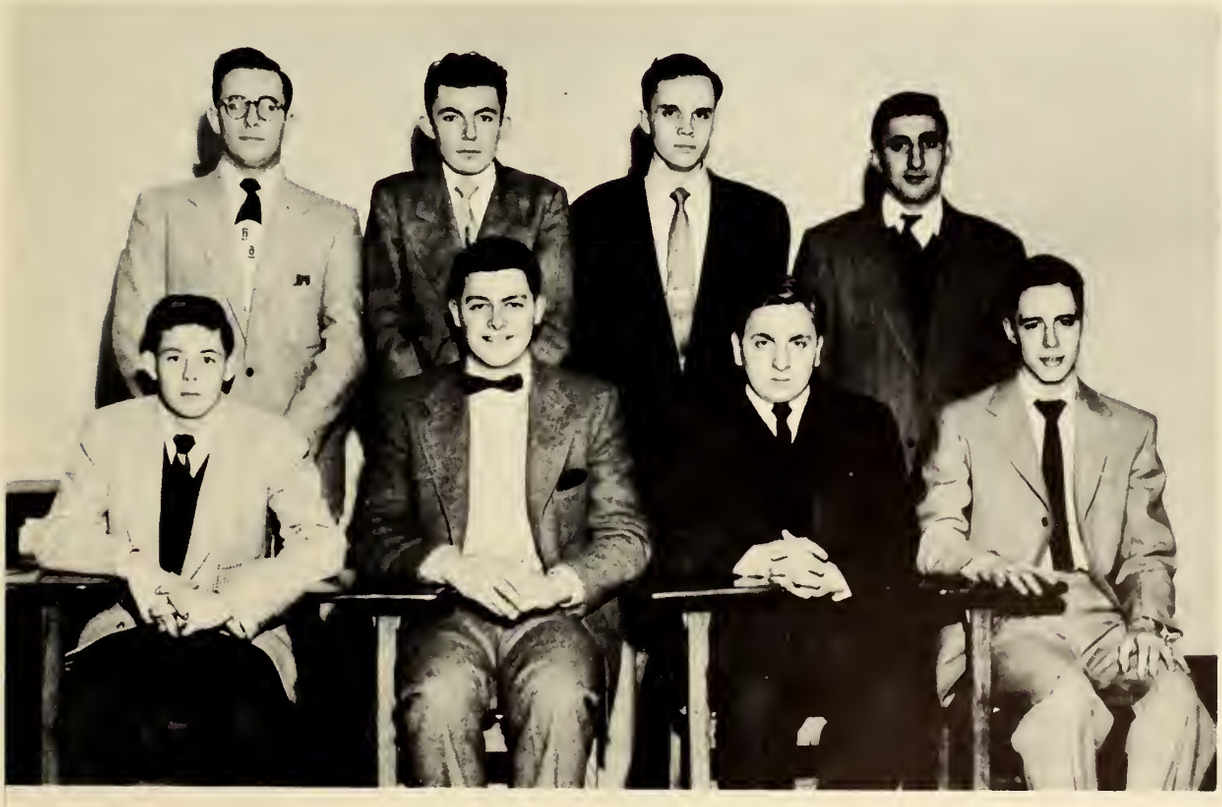
1st row, l. to r.: Clancy, Petrucelli, Mountan, Lannon, Stapleton. 2nd row: Murray, Murphy, Joy, Wolfe.

ITALIAN CLUB

SPANISH CLUB

GERMAN CLUB

FRENCH CLUB



Front row: Ronan, R. Petrucelli, Battagliola, Sullivan, Gibson, J. Petrucelli, Rackiewicz. 2nd row: Buccino, Westerberg, Joy, Cary, Sternchak, Leibrandt, Pagliarulo, Marconi, Altieri, Welch, Davis, Sinanian. 3rd row: Browne, Homa, Stapleton, Segala, Suchenski, Bochniak, Bacik, Gombar, Hanusovsky. 4th row: Iwanicki, Maxwell, Fox, Norko, Forbes, O'Byrne, Madar, G. Leibrandt, Vitale, Gawitt, Smith.

BRIDGEPORT AREA CLUB

Front row: Fida, Hogan, Duarte, Pavluvicik, Grogan, Copertino, Lavery. 2nd row: Cornell, Connell, Neuberger, Shanley, Cattendella, Csicsek, DeMarco. 3rd row: Gregory, Check, Lacovara, Curry, Conway, Zackowski.

Front row, l. to r.: Russo, Buckley, Shiembob, Boyle, Garvin. Back row: Kupec, Garcia, Bartus, Rosa, McGee, Cancelleri.

HARTFORD AREA CLUB

The Hartford Club was founded in 1948. Since that time the club has grown rapidly in number and prestige: because of this growth it was deemed necessary to elect a Public Relations Officer this year to publicize adequately the numerous social activities of the club. The officers are: Lawrence Shiembob, President, Jack Buckley, Vice-President, Hugh Boyle, Secretary, Frank Garvin, Treasurer, and Stanley Bartus, Public Relations Officer.

The purpose of the club is to organize the students of the greater Hartford area into a socially functioning society. In past years the club has held dances and other social functions during the holiday vacations. The Hartford Club has also sponsored the Fairfield University Glee Club in Hartford on three different occasions. The proceeds of these glee club concerts and the other social functions have been used to award scholarships to deserving students residing in the Hartford area. For the present year the club social committee has planned a spring dance which was held at one of the local country clubs, and an alumni picnic held at one of the beaches in the Niantic vicinity.

Front row, l. to r.: Roche. Page, Ryan, Hughes, Kramer, Mountan, Palmieri. 2nd row: Panero, Carguilo, Coyle, Morgan, Pappas, Murray, Cooksey, Patti, Colavita, Hunt, Wolfe.

METROPOLITAN AREA CLUB

That the boys from the "Big City" might be better acquainted with each other, that they might render to each other aid in the form of advice from more advance students, and if possible, financial aid, The Metropolitan Club was organized five years ago. Not limiting its membership to those from New York, it also boasts of members from New Jersey, Greenwich, Stamford, and even Florida!

This year was highlighted by the annual Christmas and Spring dances, which are held in New York, and informal "get together dinners" both at New York and at Fairfield. Don Hughes was the President for this year, while the other officers were Phil Ryan (Vice-President), Dave Page (Recording Secretary), Jack Palmieri (Corres. Secretary), Jack Kramer (Treasurer), and Larry Roche and Hop Mountan (Publicity Directors).

With the approach of dormitories and an influx of New York students the Metropolitan Club is looking forward to an increase of activity and of interest.

Front row, l. to r.: Pavluvsic, W. Cronin, O'Keefe, Pagliaro, R. Cronin, Madigosky.
Back row: Fama, Langanke, Shea, Shortell, Coss, Morey.

NAUGATUCK VALLEY AREA CLUB

To band together for such a purpose as these men have done, is indeed a very good thing—good ontologically, logically, really, or what have you! What purpose is this of which we speak so highly? It is the providing of a scholarship which is awarded annually to some deserving student from the Naugy Valley Area. The funds for this scholarship are obtained in a harmless and painless . . . painless? no, pleasurable way by means of the annual Glee Club Concert sponsored every year by the members of the Club. A large portion of the credit for the job which the Valley Club has done during the last few years must go to its energetic president, Anthony Pagliaro of Derby. Tony has set a precedent for good leadership which has no equal and it would be to the credit of the members of the Valley Club if they maintain the high standards which Tony has set.

Front row, l. to r.: Kennedy, Riordan, Bayne, Clancy, Vitali, Caruso, Munroe. Back row: Borderi, Sheehan, Singer, Andrews, Beatty, Donovan, Wirkus, Veglianti, Swanson, Maloney, Arnold.

NEW HAVEN AREA CLUB

In celebrating its fifth anniversary, the New Haven Club elected the following officers: William Clancy, President; William Wirkus, Vice-President; James Riordan, Secretary; Robert Bayne, Treasurer; and Edward Limoncelli and William Kennedy, executive committee. The club initiated the year's activities with a Welcome dance in honor of the freshmen at the Sea Cliff Inn. A basketball team was formed, and entertainment was provided for various charitable organizations by the club. A New Year's dance at the St. Elmo's Club in New Haven highlighted the club's social functions. A Glee Club Concert, co-sponsored by the Club and the Bellamarine Guild, provided the funds for the annual scholarship given by the club. Father-Sons day took place at Birch Bank, and a Farewell Dance terminated the Year's activities.

Front row, l. to r.: Fitzpatrick. Halloran, Coiley, McDermott, Incerto, Romano, O'Brien.
Back row: Casey, Harrigan, D. Smith, G. Smith, Reed, Conner, Giordano, Prescott.

NORWALK AREA CLUB

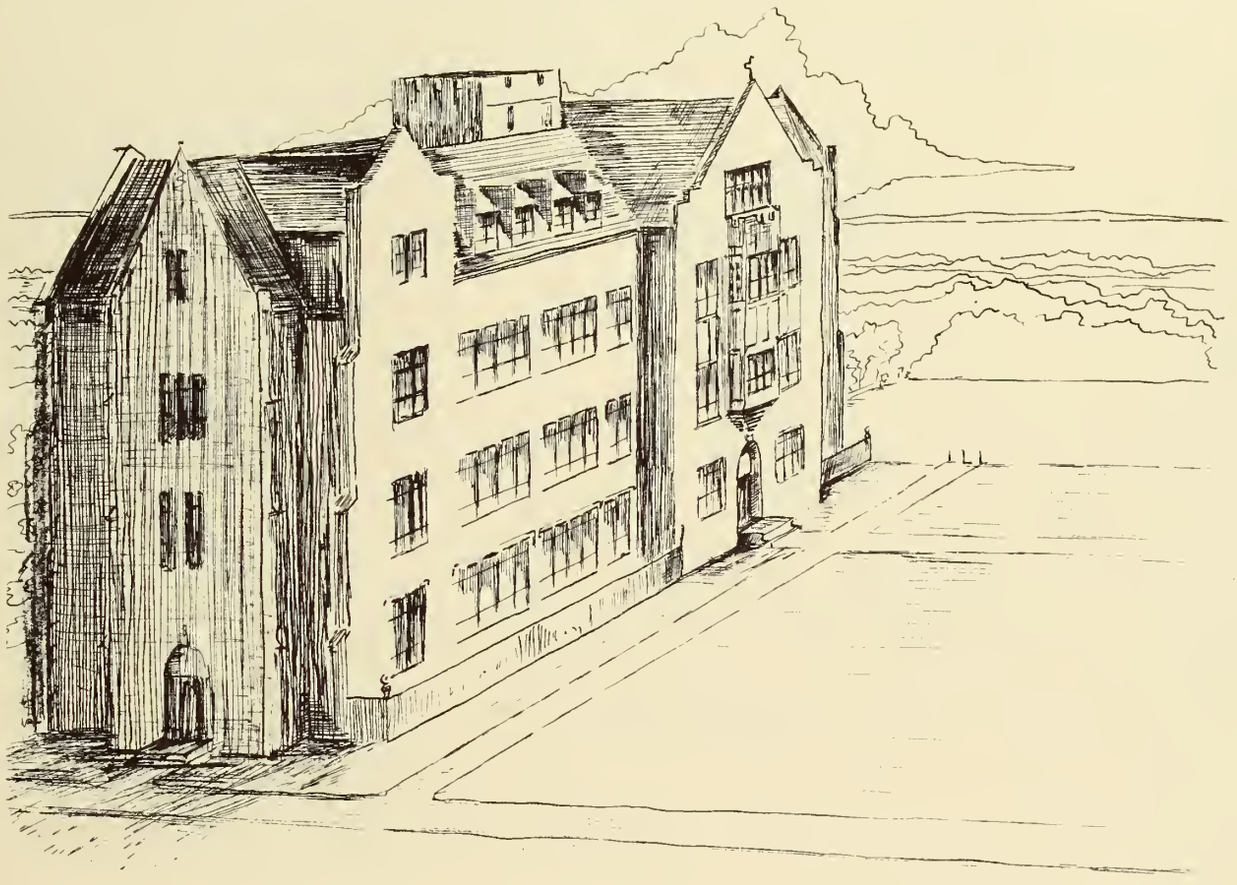
This year at Fairfield marked the formation of the Norwalk Area Club, which brought the number of such clubs up to seven. Boasting fifteen members, the newly formed club has already become well "dug-in," and under the leadership of President "Swing" Incerto, they hope to establish as soon as possible a scholarship fund, much as the other Area Clubs have done.

Forming a new club is not an easy task, but if the caliber of the present Norwalk delegation is indicative of the future members, we may rest easily concerning the permanence of the Norwalk Area Club.

First row: W. O'Keefe, Macary, Donnelly, Carlin, Begg, G. O'Keefe, De Leppo, Gilligan. Second row: Gordswick, Fardella, Perrella, Moriarty, Brennan, Brown, Lombardi, Catalani, FitzGerald, Fargnoli, Hastings, Budellis, Avitable, Grappon. Third row: Wolf, Halloran, Bayne, Burns, Sheehan, Carney, Toomey, Bowman, Kelley, Watterworth.

WATERBURY AREA CLUB

The pride and joy of the Brass City lads is their own Waterbury Club. Since its inception in 1948, the Club has been noted for the feeling of cooperation prevailing among its members, which is perhaps the reason for its many successes. The Club has a membership of 56 men and is headed by the following: Joseph Carlin, President; Tom Donnelly, Vice-President; Vincent Begg, Treasurer, and Joseph Macary, Secretary. The Waterbury Club is perhaps best known for the scholarships which it gives to deserving students who want to further their education at Fairfield, and it is for this purpose that the Glee Club appears in Waterbury every year. This year's was co-chairmanned by Tom Donnelly and Hal Barnhardt, who, through their diligent efforts, netted the club approximately one thousand dollars. Other Annual affairs are the clambake held during the summer, the Christmas Dance, and the Mother's Card Party, held for the first time this year, under the able direction of Gary Carney.



Sports Section

Stags Conquer Adelphi, 70-59.
Meet Merrimack Tomorrow
Fairfield Spoils Adelphi Open
Defeat Rider,
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Basketball
1953-54
Stags Sink
Navy Flyers
Fairfield Wins Over Bridgeport
Stags Vip St. Michael's 79
FAIRFIELD NIPS UB TOSSERS.
HANDS UP

Front Row: O'Connell, Nick, Frauenhofer, Markovic, Pisacane, Pavel. Back Row: Gallagher, Newl, Lane, Diskowski, Roche, Gerwien, Shortell, Rackiewicz.

During our four years at Fairfield, we have followed the basketball team with special interest and avid enthusiasm. We have watched a young school slowly, sometimes painfully, project its basketball team from obscurity into competition with the so-called "big name" schools of national prominence.

It was in our initial year at Fairfield, the University's first year as a full four year college, that we saw a change in the sports policy. The accent was on basketball; young Jim Hanrahan was appointed Fairfield's first full time coach. Scholarships were awarded to some promising prep and high school players to augment our local talent.

These moves "paid off," and Fairfield had her first winning season, a fine 16-11 mark, including a consolation victory in the N.A.I.B. tournament to which we were invited for the first time. In our second year, Coach Hanrahan added Fred Lane, Jack O'Connell and Bob Gerwien, three Fairfield Prep stars to his sophomore nucleus of Stan Suchenski, Bob Markovic, and Paul Frauenhofer. This group came up with a winning mark of ten and nine. Next season, the Stags gave a good Boston College club a definite scare and went on to gain a last minute victory over our arch-rivals, University of Bridgeport, in the final game of the year.

Last season, big Jim Roche joined the squad, and the Stags went on to establish a 9-9 mark. This was a somewhat disappointing season although the club showed flashes of brilliance, including a spirited battle with St. Francis of Brooklyn, which was broadcast throughout the East on TV. Jack O'Connell is still remembered in the New York area for his fine play that night. Stan Suchenski set the single game scoring record of thirty-six points against Providence College.

Fairfield		
70	Adelphi	59
86	Merrimack	63
55	Quonset Point	74
69	Providence	72
53	St. John's	75
67	Ryder College	59
74	Providence	62
72	Manhattan	84
79	Bridgeport	63
68	Stonehill	56
62	St. Anselm's	64
63	Iona	77
87	New Britain	57
73	New Haven	59
78	Curry	47
88	Quonset Point	79
74	LeMoyne	86
79	St. Michael's	78
72	Bridgeport	70

There were many predictions to the effect that this year would prove to be a big one for Fairfield. Although Big Stan Suchenski had lost his eligibility and had been appointed assistant coach, Fred Lane had rejoined the squad after a year's absence, and several promising Freshmen had been added to the roster. Bobby Markovic and Paul "Whitey" Frauenhofer started their fourth season on our varsity, acting as co-captains of the Fairfield Five.

Bob Markovic who hails from Waterbury holds the season free throw and scoring records set when he was a Freshman. He has since been handicapped by a bad knee, but still possesses a great pair of hands and a world of self-confidence which mark him as a fine ball player. Paul Frauenhofer is a smart hustling ball player who has the knack of stealing the ball away from the opposition, of passing and handling the ball in a unique style.

This season Hanrahan's charges jumped right off to win the first two home games, beating Adelphi 70-59

and Merrimac 86-65. Rugged Bob Gerwien led the Stags to both victories by tallying 23 and 19 points, respectively.

The Men in Red then took to the road for three straight gains in four nights, and such a trip proved to be disastrous. They dropped all three. After losing to a mediocre Service team, Quonset Point, 74-55, they bounced back the following night to give Providence College a real battle before bowing 72-69. Bob Gerwien was high man again with 19 points, but it was poor foul shooting that cost us the game. In the following game against St. John's University, the Stags gave a good account of themselves. Trailing by only four points at the half, they soon tired against the bigger club and lost 75-53.

Not discouraged the club rebounded to win four out of the next five, losing only to a good Manhattan Squad after being tied at the half. It was a rugged battle which saw Bob Gerwien come out high scorer in the game with 26 points. Sandwiched around this loss, the Stags defeated Rider, Providence, Bridgeport, and Stonehill by a comfortable margin. It was during the Bridgeport game that a young Freshman, Ed Diskowski, hit his stride, making the key basket each time that it was needed.

After trimming Stonehill on the road, the Stags' luck seemed to change; they lost to St. Anselm's and Iona, but it wasn't long before the fruit of victory was in their grasp again. New Britain, New Haven, Curry, Quonset Point bowed to the skillful playing of the Stags. But LeMoyne soon broke the winning streak, with the Fairfield

Front row, l. to r.: Morrison. Halligan, Tagatac, Pavalucik. Back row: Kearney, Lovett, Boser, Kiley, Shortell, Miko. Absent at time of picture: Copertino, Gregory.

Five going on to beat Saint Michael's before losing to New Britain. The crowning victory, however, was the defeat of the University of Bridgeport for the second time this season. Fairfield captured the Newman Club Trophy, which had been provided by UB to the winning team. To regain the trophy, the other team must win two consecutive games.

We of the class of '54 wish to pay tribute to the team for their fine spirit and hard work, to Coach Hanrahan for his sincere and well-done efforts to bring winning basketball to Fairfield, to Father Lyons, S.J., for his capable direction of our athletic policy, to the managers for their time and efforts, and to those faithful fans whose familiar faces are seen at every game.

This year the Freshman Squad carried over a string of fourteen victories from last year and they extended it to twenty, before they were finally knocked off by the New Haven Teacher's College Frosh. They did have a highly successful season, however, finally ending up with a ten win-three loss record.

Under the guidance of Coach Stanley Suchenski the Freshman team emerged as a smoothly operating outfit, headed by the diminutive Pedro Tagatac. Roy Lovett, Buck Shortell, Harry Kiely, and Art Pavlucik rounded out the starting five, and they can be counted on to continue their fine play when they advance to varsity ball.

Fairfield		
69	Bridgeport PAL	59
59	Fairfield Alumni	54
64	Waterbury UConn.	62
56	U. B. JV's	41
80	Cheshire	71
88	Waterbury UConn.	49
75	N. Britain J. V.	60
60	New Haven	68
78	Cheshire	51
67	Quonset J. V.	55
44	Wilby Alumni	53
49	New Britain	53
77	U. B. J. V.	65

TRACK AND CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

TRACK

Fairfield		
72½	New Haven Teachers	40½
89	CCNY ES	41
49½	Bridgeport	63½
64	Arnold	67
91	White Plains	39

CROSS COUNTRY

52	Brooklyn S. & A.	49	Long Island	21
27	Westchester	28		
21	Concordia	34		
33	Hofstra	23		
33	Boston College	41	New Britain	46

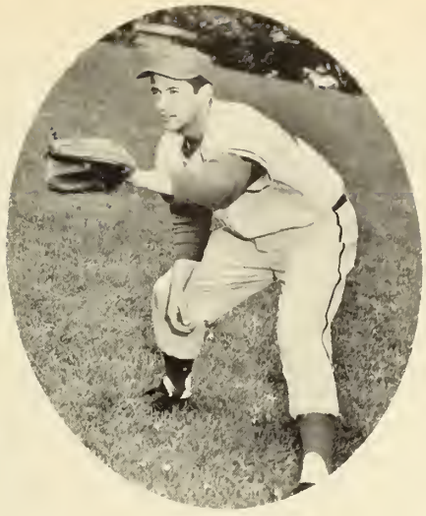
Front row, l. to r.: DeRosa, Scrimenti, Doheny, Roach Fahy Girandola, McLean, Poeltl, Westerberg. 2nd row: Brosley, coach, Ciola, Hajas, Kiely, Nick, Kuloweic, Markovic, Butns, McVety, Welch, Murphy.

BASEBALL

At this writing, the 1954 baseball season is only the concern of schedule makers and yearbook chroniclers. Consequently, baseball news will have to be confined to last season's squad, which, with a few exceptions, was practically a carbon copy of the 1952 team. However, the memories of an exciting '53 season still remains strong, and with a parade of veteran talent returning, Stag rooters can look hopefully forward to a favorable springtime.

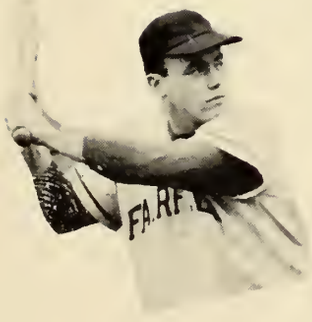
Thirty-five candidates reported to Coach Joe Brosley for spring practice last season and he watchfully put them through their paces for 10 days. At the end of his time Coach Bosley had a good line on the nine men who answer the opening bell. Norb Fahey, John Kuloweic, and John Doheny were selected as the Big Three who were to share the burden of pitching assignments. As was expected, Fahey turned in another brilliant pitching record which netted 3 victories as against no setbacks.

The infield comprised the familiar faces of four experienced veterans in McVety, McLean, Smith, and Markovic,



while the outfield was taken care of by Jack Burns, Ed Kiely, and John Nick. Reserve strength with the addition of Girandola, Hajas, Welch, and Vegliante completed the outfield roster.

Graduation has taken Fahey, Doheny, McVety, Kiely, and Ciola, all of whom will be sorely missed. However, the material which Coach Brosley has at hand together with several promising newcomers, promises to bring about exciting and successful (we hope) season.



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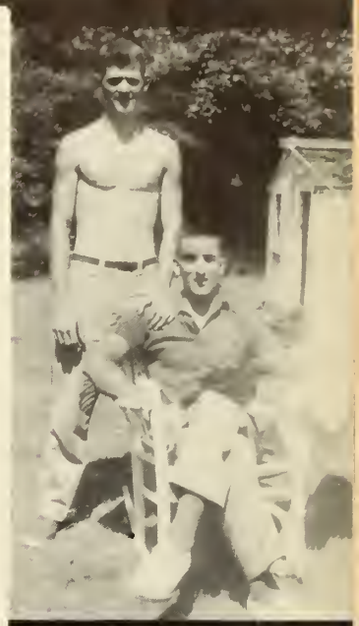
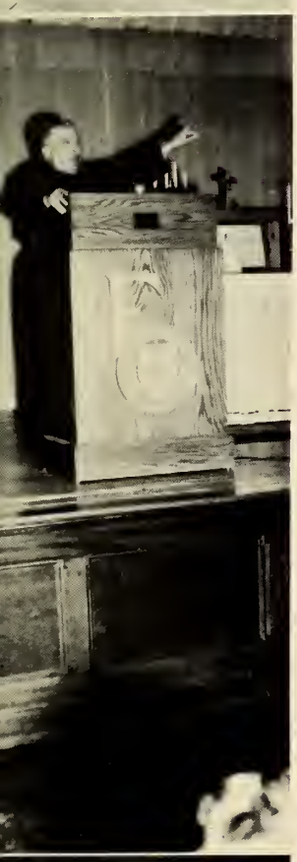
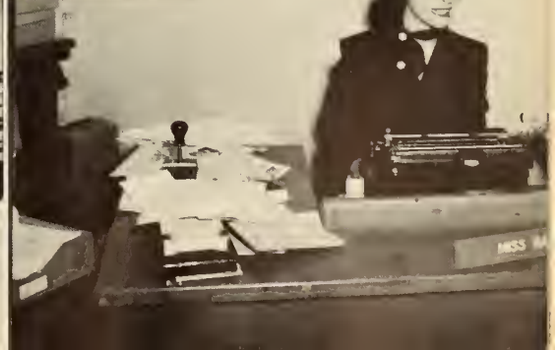






September 1950—remember? Harry Truman, Korea, another pennant for the Yanks, and freshmen at Fairfield. We spent hours over schedules and stood patiently in the wrong line; we lost books and joined every club on campus. We were a proud lot though, for weren't we responsible for completing the cycle? We were the fourth class.

It took time, but we learned that 305 wasn't across the courtyard, the information on the bulletin board was the same during first, second, third, fourth, and fifth time, and a fast bottom of the deck dealer could pick up some loose change in the cafeteria.

The discovery that individually we could hold our own prompted us to look around and see what the other people were doing. Rev. Lawrence Langguth, S.J., had been appointed Dean. It seemed as if he could hold his own. The sophomores, how about them? They were going to throw a dance, a Freshman Welcome Dance—"Whom did I take to that one?"

It seemed as if everyone wanted to help us. Even the Student Council was going to let us have representatives. Bob Demshak, Tony Pagliaro, Jim Sweeny, and Bob McKeon were chosen to speak in our behalf in the chambers of those that shaped our destinies.

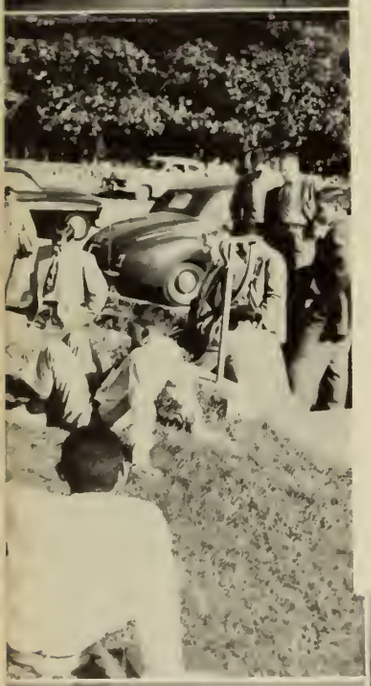
Still on shaky feet we advanced in wisdom and learning with the weeks. Seniors were already talking of graduation, the newly formed Honor Society, and the pressing need for money. In answer to the call for the almighty buck,

a magazine drive was started. The other classes put on quite a show but we only had a bit part. Frank Romano led our class in sales, in fact he was our only salesman. We fared better in other fields though. Bob McKeon was already a shining star in the Debating Society, a prelude to his little drama, as it were.

We bade adieu to 1950 and welcomed 1951 with apprehension. Midyears! Many were shocked when they learned that the "Hound of Heaven" had nothing to do with paper planes or "Ghost Riders in the Skies." Those that were able to wade through the exams felt relieved that they had established a beachhead at Fairfield University. Those that didn't were well on their way to establish other beachheads.

In February, it was nine foot Stags carved from ice in front of the Ritz, Gene Williams and his orchestra, tuxes, and the girls who were all snow queens to us at our first Mid-Winter Carnival.

Back to the books for the second semester. There was a new face in the ranks of the administration—Fr. Lyons, S.J. ("It just wouldn't start this morning, Father"). The Red Stags were in the middle of their season and by the time they had finished they had a very comfortable 15-10 record and an invitation to the NAIB tourney. The freshmen made a remarkable showing throughout the year, in fact, one of our boys, Bob Markovic, led the team in scoring. There were other records established at Fairfield in which other freshmen took part. These were on wax, however, in album



form, by the Glee Club, which was fast gathering acclaim throughout the southern part of New England.

The draft board was breathing hot and heavy down our necks when Washington came up with their version of Russian Roulette. Those that passed were able to continue their college education without fear of being drafted immediately. Those who didn't pass . . . .

The spring blossomed with prospects of dances, elections, and finals. The Sophomore-Freshman Spring Ball at Laddin's Terrace was a refreshing but too short pause before the furious activity which followed. As sophomores we would need a class president, a man of destiny, and so we held an election which produced a political czar, Jerry McNally and his machine of McDermott, Franchi, and Golighty. The election for Student Council was not as successful, however, because of the poor turnout for voting. Finals came, sowed the seeds for many a potential ulcer, and then it was summer vacation time.

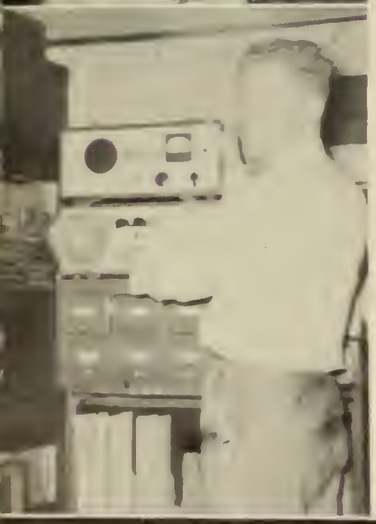
It seemed that before you could say Draft Board local No. 12, September was half over and we were sophomores.

The school year began appreciatively with the Mass of the Holy Ghost and an address by Reverend Father Rector. Again we found our old friends in the cafeteria of Xavier Hall, joining clubs and drinking a nondescript brew. There were innovations in 1951 which we now took in our mature stride. Father Mahan, S.J., was named Assistant

Dean and a topic of interest to upper classmen was the new Placement Bureau staffed by Eugene Galligan.

Our class activities were rapidly set in high gear; we directed the Freshman Welcome Dance and were now well out of the financial doldrums that had plagued us the previous year. The Student Council elections that had flopped so miserably the previous spring were hotly contested, and after the smoke cleared Bob McKeon, Tony Pagliaro, Gerry Smith and Bob Westerberg had the ball.

It was about this time that rumblings were heard on the horizon. The cause was an organization called the National Federation of Catholic College Students. Rather unobtrustively the campus politicians had introduced the federation to Fairfield and we were honored by being selected as the sight for the Family Life Commission for the New England division. With the honor came an obligation, a financial one for dues. This was met by the Student Council's tax proposal. As members of a society, not desiring to be social outcasts, we dug down, paid our dollar, and again turned our heads to our Rhetoric Books.



Another Magazine Drive, and our treasury was growing by leaps and bounds. Christmas vacations, a job in the Post Office, a "Frantic First," and back to the shock treatment. A one-two combination of finals by Fr. Small, S.J., and Mr. Meaney left many a good man by the wayside. Those that survived were, by now, fairly certain of becoming permanent fixtures at Fairfield.

Another Mid-Winter Carnival heralded the dawn of second semester. More ice stags at the Ritz and a fast jaunt to New York by the hardier souls, and we were catapulted into the middle of March before we knew it, while following our boys on the basketball court and a few of our boys who were selected to attend CISL. There were many activities but the forthcoming elections seemed to overshadow all else. We were all, of course, keenly aware of the national campaigns for the Presidency, but this was rivalled by our "campaigns" at Fairfield for the selection of next Year's class officers and Student Council Representatives. Tony Pagliaro was the "peepul's cherce" as President and he then rested from his vigorous campaign of hand shaking and baby kissing to observe the Student Council elections. Ed Devine, John Nori, Jack McDermott, Gerry Smith, and Walt Zackrison struggled to the top of a long list of candidates that spring of 1952.

A brief period of peace, enhanced by the beauty of the May Day Mass on the terrace of Bellarmine Hall and our prayers for the conversion of Russia, lasted until the Spring Prom. Finals disturbed this tranquility but briefly, and it was that time again. Determination and confidence marked the spirit of the "Class of '54" as we began our careers as upperclassmen in September of 1952. The half way mark in our college life had been reached. Philosophy became the center topic of conversation and nowhere was there a soul daring enough to challenge the logic of "Fuir's Intellects" or "Donoghue's Inquisitors."

On the agenda of class activities our first success was Schola Brevis Day. Not to be forgotten in Junior year records was the work of the Junior Advisory Board. This year we were particularly successful in organizing the Freshman Class and helping them to become acquainted with Fairfield. In this manner passed the lazy September days of Junior year.

As September became October, plans were under way for our first Social Event of the year. The Harvest Hop was now an annual tradition and under the direction of Jack Welch it proved an able sedative for mid-semester estimates.

With the passing of October the days grew long and cold. Thanksgiving came and went silently, the Christmas vacation had come upon us. Prior to the long holiday we held our annual assembly at Berchmans Hall. Here we honored our classmates who had achieved honors in certain fields, and concluding with a "Merry Christmas" from Reverend Father Rector, we began another Christmas vacation.

As 1953 arrived we returned to find the "finals" ominously looming ahead in a few weeks, and a slight recession in business was noted at the Pickwick. Philosophy, Mathematics, English, History and the like consumed our time for a few weeks, and soon, as quickly as they had come, exams were over and the brightest social event of the year was at hand. A break in the Carnival tradition was allowed

this year and the familiar ice carving of our famous stag gave way to a new innovation in the form of Polar Bears. As in the past, the Ritz Ballroom was the site of our Sixth Annual Winter Carnival.

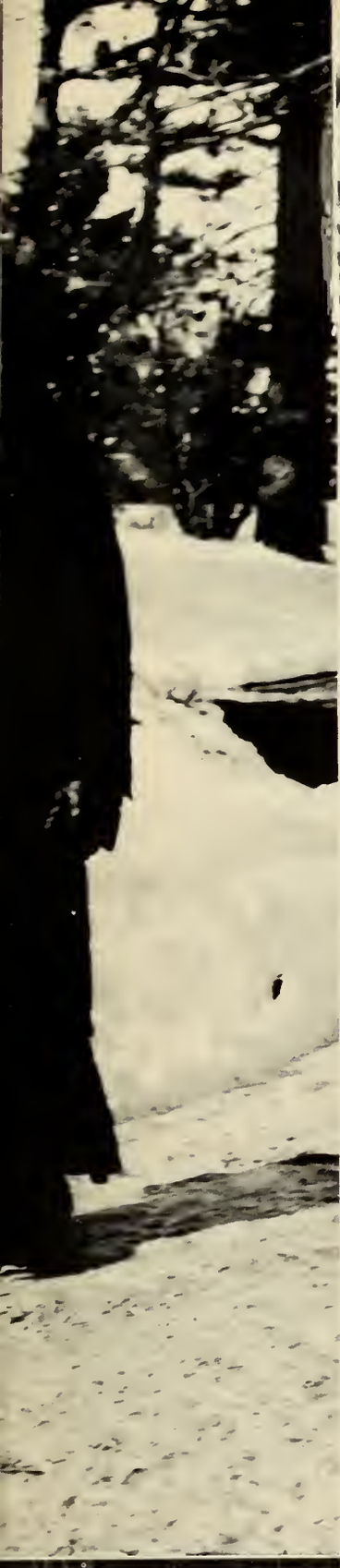
After January the months came and went in rapid order, March and St. Patrick's Day, the CISL with the college "politico's" making their annual trip to the State Legislature, and finally May and Junior Week.

Bob Markovic and Stan Suchenski succeeded in luring Bud Palmer, the Sports announcer, for Sports night. Kevin Harrigan made a success out of the Communion Breakfast where Father Donoghue presented the main address. The climax came when Jack Welch named the Longshore Country Club as the scene of our Junior Prom. It was only fitting that the beautiful music of Hugh Golden and a clear spring night close out the Social activities of a memorable Junior Year—memorable because of the many thoughts we will always carry with us of the things, little in themselves, but large in their contribution to our lives as Juniors at Fairfield. Who can forget Tony Pagliaro's vivid description of jungle life at the dedication ceremonies of the statue of St. Francis Xavier, or Jack Sullivan's cheerleading on that beautiful clear night of the U.B. bonfire rally? Or the great efforts of the basketball team in their first television appearance? Or the great debate over the farious N.F.C.C.S. Yes, it was in a melancholy mood that we approached our final year in college.

Upon returning to these "hallowed halls," the newly appointed Dean of the University, Rev. William J. Healy, S.J., former President of Holy Cross College and former member of the faculty of Sophia University, Tokyo, welcomed the student body and formally opened a new academic year. Undoubtedly, this was to be a year of "firsts."

Father Paul Power, S.J., conducted our retreat and provided us with the spirit which we would need for the coming year. We then dug in earnestly, with that September enthusiasm which is always so lacking come the day of atonement—finals, that is. Bill Lannon was the chairman of the Junior-Senior Welcome Dance; a fine time was had by all and things were going along smoothly when someone mentioned the Class Treasury. Jim Roach, our Treasurer, confirmed the wild rumors, and suggestions were called for by which we might alleviate the situation. Before you could say "make mine a neutral shade," signs with slogans such as "This is no hose job! Sell Xmas Stockings!" were to be seen all over. Through the efforts of Jack Sullivan and Company, our treasury began to feel better. The First Anual Silver Stag was a wonderful success, with Morris Watstein's band doing a fine job.

We were out for our Christmas Vacation a little early, thanks to Bishop Shehan, and we returned full of vim and vigor and crashed into the finals—or did they crash into us?



We were now "heading for home" and at last our Yearbook, the Manor, started to take shape. Also a new club, the Aquinas Academy, had been "born" (cf. p. 60), composed of Seniors. On the political front, two Seniors, Jack Byrne and Ed Devine, sponsored an *amendment* which was passed by a student vote.

The Seventh Annual Winter Carnival was held at Ladden's Terrace in Stamford, and with Jack Welch, Chairman, it proved to be a swell evening for all.

As this is written we can only imagine (and Hope) about our Graduation Exercises. But there are some things which we can think about before we leave these halls into which we first entered four years ago—things which have happened already, things which we shall remember as we go out into life, things which will cause us to chuckle as we remember our war cries, "Climb up a gum tree and . . .", or "More guns for the Arabs," or "That baby is Baptized!" The good jobs our class had done and the not so good jobs we had done, all served to teach us the strength which we shall have if we stick together in a good cause, for *now* we may claim as *our own* those words which start, "We Believe in God. We Believe in the personal dignity of man. . . ."

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WINTER CARNIVAL

On February 5, 1954, two-hundred and thirty-two of Fairfield's socially minded students and their dates could be found dancing to the enjoyable music of Frank Daley's band at Laddin's Terrace in Stamford, Connecticut. It was the Seventh Annual Mid-Winter Carnival under the capable direction of John C. Welch and his committee. The decor for the evening was the beautiful ice carvings especially prepared for the Carnival by George Weising of Fairfield, Connecticut. The highlight of the evening was the selection of Miss Lucy Wisinski as Snow Queen for 1954. She was presented with an orchid corsage and a sparkling trophy as a memento of the occasion. The Carnival proved to be both a social and a financial success. The weekend was brought to a close with a Tea Dance at Berchmans Hall. Morris Wattstein sent everyone home happy with one of his never-to-be-forgotten jam sessions.

Front row, l. to r.: Begg, McKeon, Pagliarulo, Welch, Fox, Gombar, Katson, Hunts.
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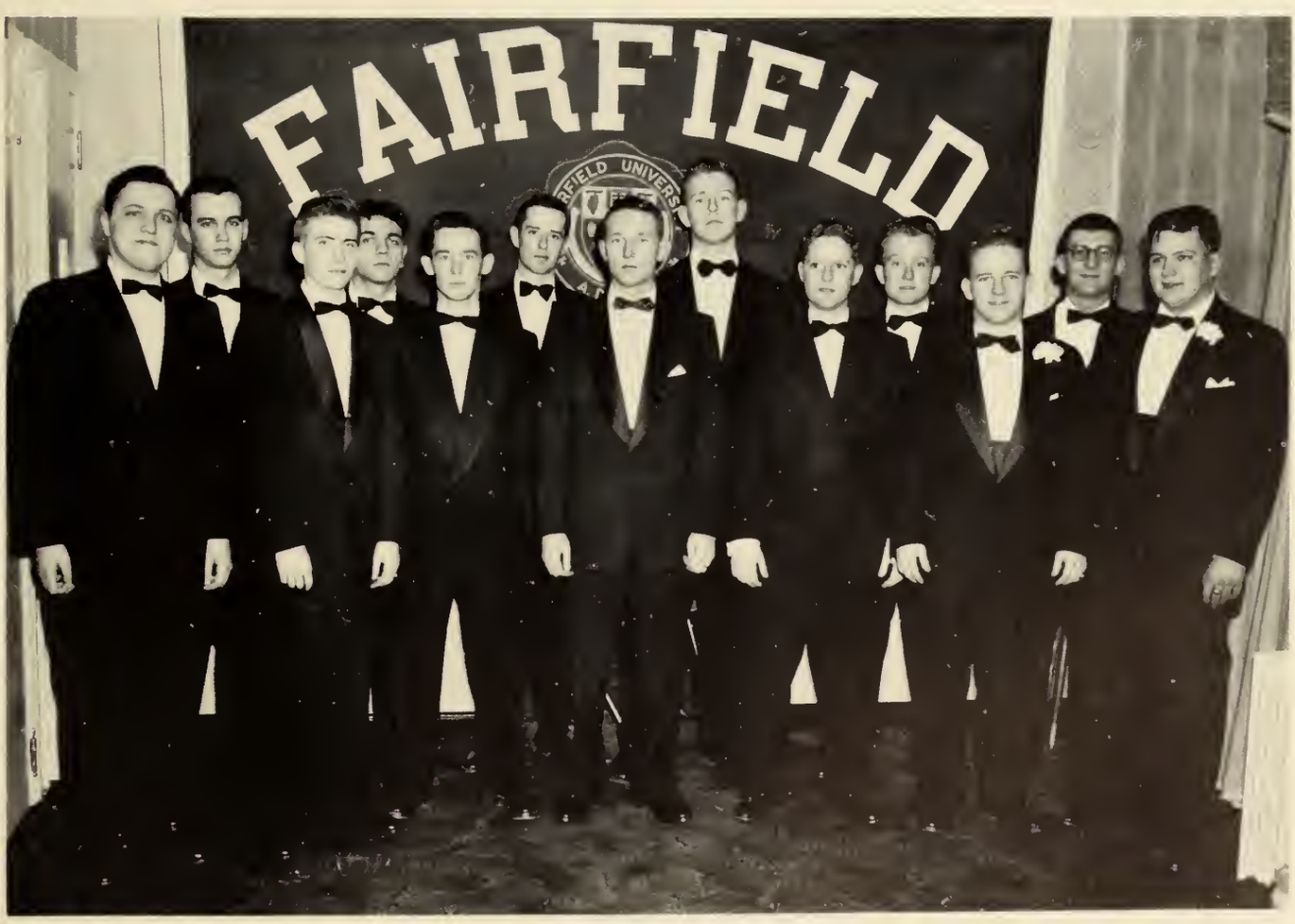

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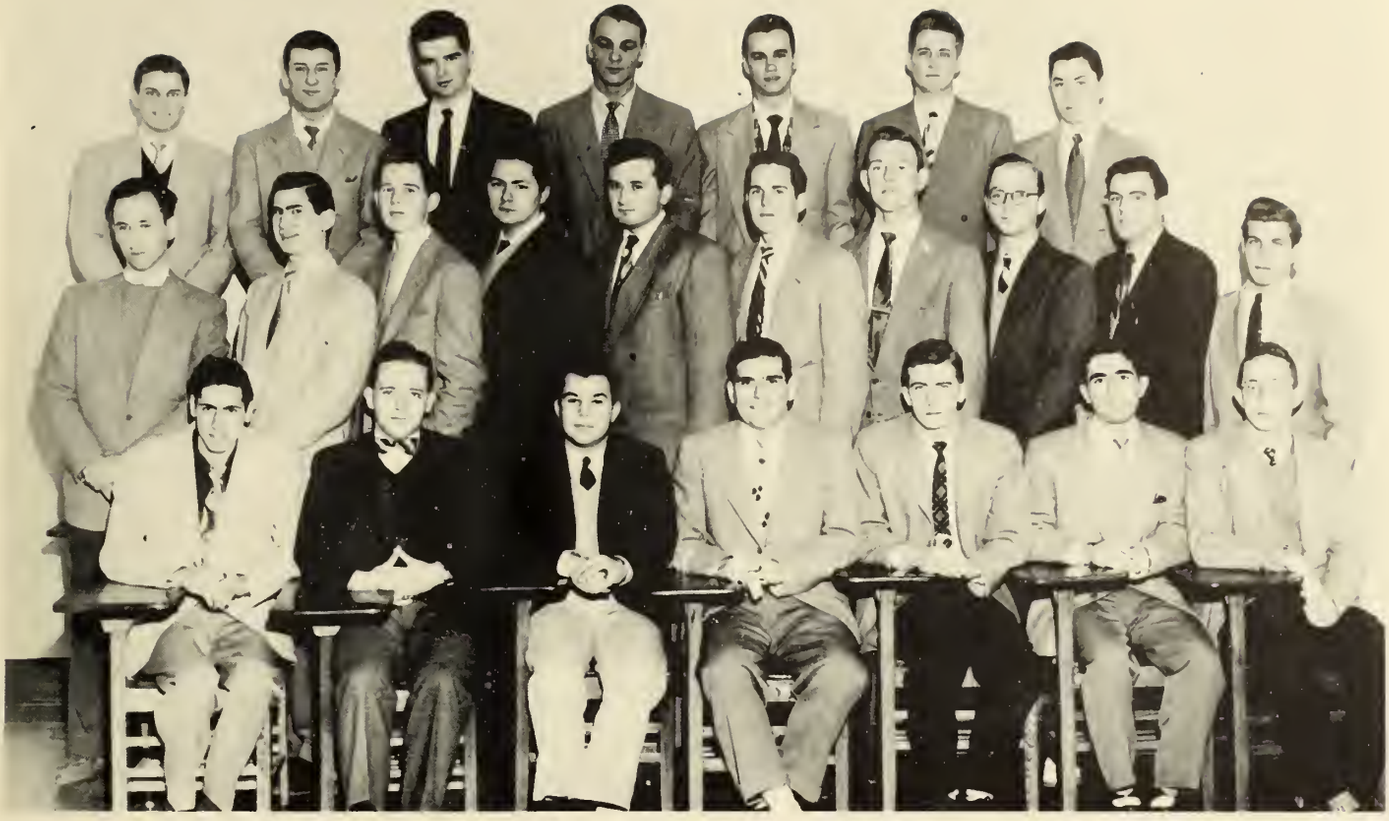

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